

Canada Prepared to Head Off Constantinople Against Attacks

Canadian Parliament Will be Called Before Any Definite Action is Taken in Regard to Raising Overseas Force

OTTAWA, Sept. 17.—(By Canadian Press)—The Near East situation and the question of whether Canada is to be called there by a contingent of troops will come before the cabinet tomorrow at an extraordinary session which was called by the prime minister immediately on his return to Ottawa this morning. With the exception of Hon. W. S. Filding and Hon. Ernest LaPointe, who are in Europe, and Hon. A. B. Cope and Hon. J. H. King, who are in the West, it is expected there will be a full attendance. The ministers who are within reach of Ottawa were summoned today.

Cabinet was to have met on Monday in any case, but the regular meeting was not planned until the afternoon. Now, however, the ministers will be called together during the forenoon, and it is stated that they will be sitting during most of the day.

There is a possibility of an extraordinary session of parliament being called to decide upon the matter if the government should feel that the question is one which should be decided by parliament.

It is not an official statement, but it has been leaked concerning the matter. The official dispatch from London conveying the invitation, while it is stated, is in the hands of the government, when the invitation was received, the cabinet at tomorrow's session, the government will be in a position to communicate with its excellency, the governor-general, in any case, however, the governor-general is at present in Western Canada, and it is understood, plans to continue his tour scheduled, at least until there is something more definite than has yet been received. In his absence, the question of such important matters, without doubt, is communicated directly from the governor-general to the prime minister for action by himself and his colleagues.

The matter of raising troops cannot be sent, it is decided to send a contingent to be used to decide later.

Sign of Possible Force

The proclamation of the British government in its formal invitation will indicate what was of a possible force. If it is a statement of the contingent overseas, the government will then have a call for volunteers as needed. That there will be no lack of them as a call for volunteers is sent out is evident from the fact that messages from all parts of the dominion containing offers of service have been received.

Returned Soldiers and Officers as well as Reservists

It is understood that the government is considering the prime minister's offer of raising troops, but that it is decided to send troops.

Already scores of offers of service have reached the department of military and defence, and are being considered. Some of these offer individuals, some offer entire regiments, battalions or brigades, and some would raise a new unit.

It is unlikely, however, in the case of offers of service, that the government will be taken without first consulting parliament.

The Permanent Force

The permanent force of the dominion is uniform code, not under the dominion, but under the British crown. Canada, out volunteers from the dominion may be called on to send a contingent. The difficulty apparently will not be in raising a contingent, but in raising a contingent down to the number who are actually available.

It is expected that an official statement regarding the expedition by the government will be issued at the end of the month.

VETERANS AT COAST VOLUNTEER AGAIN

VANCOUVER, Sept. 17.—"I have received application from a great number of men of the coast, who are veterans of both the imperial and Canadian wars," reported British Columbia's returned British soldiers, who have been telegraphed to Ottawa, that if a call comes for volunteers, they will be ready to share of men and I also have sent my volunteers to the coast, and I am confident for service if needed."

BALDWIN STEEL PLANT CLOSING FOR A PERIOD

Calgary, Sept. 17.—(By Canadian Press)—The Baldwin steel plant at Calgary, Alberta, will be closed for a period of about two weeks, it is stated. The plant is being closed because of the difficulty and delay in obtaining raw material. It is stated that the plant is being closed because of the difficulty and delay in obtaining raw material. It is stated that the plant is being closed because of the difficulty and delay in obtaining raw material.

Minister of Militia Has No Information About Canadian Support to the Dardanelles

BLOCKVILLE, Ont., Sept. 17.—"Outside of what I have seen on the bulletin boards, I am without information on the subject." This was the reply given to the Canadian public today by Hon. J. G. Graham, minister of militia and defence, when asked respecting action on the part of the Dominion on the reported invitation from Great Britain to Canada to take part in the defence of the Dardanelles.

It is understood here that the assent of parliament would have to be given before any troops can leave the country.

Eye of Asia is a Sepulchre Of Ashes, Shattered Walls and Charred Bodies Left by Turks

SMYRNA, Sept. 17.—Smyrna, which the Turks have called the eye of Asia, is a vast repository of ashes, only the shattered walls of 25,000 houses and the charred bodies of countless victims remain to tell the story of death and destruction, unexampled in modern history. The walls are still, considering like a volcano which has been smothered, but no effort has been made by the Turks to remove the dead and during the streets are full of the bodies of those who sought to escape, for the most part women and children.

Armenians All Dead

Every building in the city has been burned, with the dead lying about. The sea, which covers an area of fifty acres, still carries on to surface the poor remnants of those who were massacred or sought to escape the ruthlessness of the foe.

On the water front crouch thousands of survivors who fear death in another form at the hands of the soldiery; there are no boats to take them off.

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WARNING FROM ALLIES MIGHT BE SUFFICIENT

Troops are Supported by Heavy Artillery and Backed by Fleet

SMYRNA IS IN RUINS

Turks Disregarded Appeal Made for Mercy Against Helpless Greeks

LONDON, Sept. 17.—The Constantinople correspondent of the Times says that Mustafa Kemal Pasha informed Sir Harry Lamb at the Smyrna conference that he had considered the suggestion of the British government in a state of war with Great Britain, but to afterwards modified this statement in his official communication, stating the relations "not hostile, but as an enemy."

LONDON, Sept. 17.—With British troops extending at strategic points on the Dardanelles, French and Italian battalions rushed to join them, and from New Zealand would that an Anzac contingent will be dispatched to the scenes of their heroic sacrifices in the late war to assist in dealing with the Turkish Nationalists, there has been a swift carrying into effect of the allied pronouncements regarding a firm determination to provide the freedom of the Dardanelles and the Bosphorus.

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TURKS ARE SLAUGHTERING RUTHLESSLY; SMYRNA IS COMPLETELY BURNED AND INHABITANTS IN THROES OF TERROR

SMYRNA, Sept. 17.—Smyrna is in a state of terror. The fire which has been raging there for three days has swept the city and is extending to the suburbs. Only blackened masonry and a small vestige of the Turkish quarter remain.

The Turks are heartlessly killing helpless Christians and the whole city is in the throes of terror. Rescue work among the ruins is proceeding slowly, and the Kemalists are leaving the fire victims to their fate. The catastrophe is as vast that only the collective efforts of the nations can cope with it. When the fire was at its worst the American destroyers were almost swamped by thousands of maddened survivors who plunged into the water and swam to the ships imploring pity to be saved. Blue jackets rescued hundreds from the water.

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GREAT BRITAINStory is That Contest is To Be
Held Sometime in Next
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Cable—There has been a revival
of the rumors that a general
election will take place in Oc-
tober although it is difficult to find
any solid basis for these reports.In Manchester which is hardly
second to London as a centre of poli-
tical influence, it is stated that labor
officials have received instructions
to prepare for an immediate contest.The labor chief, Mr. J. H. Thomas,
of the report but the Evening
Chronicle which carried the
rumor persists that it is correct.The London Times and influential
correspondent (which much will de-
pend on the production of a popular
budget next spring but if that proves
impossible, the contest will be
put off to a later date.The party had 551 candidates in
the field on the eve of the last
election. Already 400 are definitely
opposed to the contest. Another 100
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PENNSYLVANIA NOTABLES WITH DAVID REED, NEW U. S. SENATOR



This photograph was made while David Reed, who succeeds the late W. E. Crow as senator from Pennsylvania, was on his way to the capital in Washington to be sworn in. In the right are Senator Reed, Governor Sproul of Pennsylvania and Senator George Wharton Pepper, also of Pennsylvania.

Permanent Freedom Dardanelles
Vital Necessity British Decides;
Prepared To Fight For This Object

London, Sept. 16.—(Bulletin).—The British government has adopted the attitude that the effective and permanent freedom of the Dardanelles is a vital necessity for the sake of which it is prepared to make exertions, it was authoritatively stated this afternoon.

During the past week the British cabinet has continually been studying the situation created by the approach of the Turkish Nationalist forces to Constantinople and the Dardanelles and the demands made by the Angora government.

The British government holds that these demands, if assented to, involve nothing less than the entire loss of the results of victory over Turkey in the late war.

The British government holds that if the Allies were driven from Constantinople by the forces of Mustafa Kemal Pasha it would be an event of the most disastrous character, producing far-reaching reactions and not only throughout all the Moslem countries but throughout all the states defeated in the late war, who would be greatly encouraged by the spectacle of the comparative successes which have attended the efforts of the comparatively weak Turkish forces.

The government has instructed the British high commissioner at Constantinople to notify Mustafa Kemal and the Angora government that the neutral zones established under the flags of the three great powers must be respected.

The British government maintains that it would be futile and dangerous in view of the excited mood and extravagant claims of the Kemalists, to trust simply to diplomatic action.

Consulates Destroyed.

London, Sept. 16.—Official dispatches received from Smyrna today state that all the foreign consulates were destroyed by the fire which broke out in the city of Smyrna, Sept. 15.

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Arrivals and Departures at Edmonton

EDMONTON—CALGARY
No. 522 Lv. 1:00 a.m. Daily. No. 521 Ar. 8:30 a.m.
No. 524 Lv. 7:15 a.m. Daily. No. 525 Ar. 9:20 a.m.
No. 526 Lv. 12:40 p.m. Daily. No. 523 Ar. 4:05 p.m.EDMONTON—BASKATOON—WINNIPEG—Daily
No. 52 Lv. 10:00 a.m. No. 61 Arrive 7:05 a.m.EDMONTON—HARDISTY—Daily Except Sunday
No. 528 Lv. 6:15 p.m. No. 527 Arrive 12:00 noonTRANS-CANADA LIMITED, No. 2 and 4 between Montreal,
Toronto and Vancouver, will be withdrawn. Last train passing
Calgary—Edmonton September 11th, and westbound noon
11th, 1922.R.O. PACIFIC EXPRESS, Nos. 13 and 14 will be withdrawn west
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from Montreal Nov. 22nd, to Glasgow.Leave Edmonton Nov. 28th, for R.R. Canada, sailing from Halifax on
Dec. 2d to Liverpool.Leave Edmonton Dec. 4th at 8:20 p.m. and Dec. 5th at 4:45 a.m.
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Sunlight Soap

JUST A MINUTE.



—Fitzpatrick in St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Hail Insurance Board Fixes Assessment Rate at Five P. C.

Co-operative Plan is Evidently Meeting With Approval of Farmers—Large Saving of Premiums Has Been Made—Volume of Insurance Less Than Previous Years

At the meeting of the Hail Insurance Board of Alberta, held Friday at their office in Calgary, the rate of assessment for hail insurance for 1922 was fixed at 5 per cent.

The co-operative plan of protection against loss by hail, as offered under the Municipal Hail Insurance Act, is evidently meeting with the approval of the farmers of this province. The saving to them in premiums, covering the four years the Act has been in operation, amounts to almost one and a half million dollars, and in addition to this a reserve of approximately half a million dollars has been established.

The volume of insurance written in 1922 was not quite as great as that of previous years, due to adverse crop conditions and lower grain prices, and despite the fact that the higher rate the board found it necessary to set in the final result, borne out by the figures quoted, proved better than the rate the co-operative system, embodied in the Municipal Hail Insurance plan, well deserves the slogan, "The cheapest safe insurance."

The following members of the board attended the meeting: E. Hinckley, H. W. British, Harry Bell, A. S. Hawley, A. J. Watson, W. M. Galloway, D. Ferguson and Donald Sinclair.

Dodge's New "Baby Holo" Sets World Record at International Regatta

Buffalo, Sept. 15.—Baby Holo, 10-year-old Dodge entry in the 2.50 class hydroplane race, was credited with a new world's record today when she covered the 25 mile course at the International power boat regatta at an average speed of 45.8 miles per hour. Incidentally Baby Holo turned the tables on Paul Stronach's new Baby Bore Cur, which won the competition of the class on Thursday. These two craft are now equal on points and will settle supremacy tomorrow. Edsel Ford's new boat, Woodhull, also improved the previous run of 35 miles per hour by covering the 25 mile course at an average speed of 35.1 miles per hour.

The Ford speedster, however, was again outdistanced by Baby Holo, which stands first with 14 points for five days two hours, 55 minutes and 12 seconds, and Baby Jay Jr. is third.

DINANT COAL TO BE SHIPPED TO ONTARIO

The Dinant Coal Company of Dinant, on the U.S.P., Calgary line, between Telford and Calgary have received an order for two cars of coal from an Ontario city, west of Toronto. A shipment of two cars of coal was made in the same city two years ago. The repeat order speaks for the Dinant Coal but also indicates that the coal supply of Ontario is at least precarious.

HAY PERMITS ON LANDS RESERVED

It has been decided by the Department of the Interior at Ottawa that, in future permits may be issued to cut hay on any lands which may be reserved for Bird Sanctuaries. In each case, however, the hay permit is to secure the desired condition that no proof of any violation of the regulations established under the Migratory Birds Convention Act, such permit will be cancelled.

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The September Blanket and Bedding Sale

Blankets and Comforters piled High and Wide in Home Furnishing Dept., Speak of Economy and Winter Sleep Comfort for all those who participate in this Important Event.

Begins Monday. A bedding festival that ranks with the greater selling events of this store. Months of planning and preparation. Then a scouring of the markets. Careful and shrewd buying. All that first. Then the fitting climax—this great September Blanket and Bedding Sale.

Out goes the clarion call to Edmonton housewives: Buy blankets and bedding now—during this event—so that you may have them when you need them—so that you may share the benefits of such an enterprising undertaking—so that you may save—save.

Chintz Comforters

\$2.75, \$3.50

Ready to meet the great demand for a real low priced comforter. Reversible, substantial, well made comforters filled with lofty carded cotton and covered with serviceable chintz; seroll stitched. 60x72—\$2.75 72x78—\$3.50

Handsome Comforters As Low as \$5.95

You will be pleased with the pretty art designs on one side and the plain colors on the reverse. Filled generously with soft carded cotton and well quilted to keep the filling in place. Good large size—72x72 inches. At just \$5.95.

Down Comforters

Present themselves in a wealth of designs and colors. Their is the luxury of warmth without weight, plus great beauty. Coverings of satin and satin. Priced from \$15.00 to \$50.00.



Fine White Wool Blankets

Ask to see the pair that has been washed. Beautiful Blankets made from fine wool yarns with a long soft nap. Bleached and shrunk. Whipped singly. 60x80, \$8.95 pair 64x84, \$7.95 pair 72x84, \$8.95 pair

Silver Grey Wool Blankets

It would be difficult to match these Blankets in quality, warmth and durability at much higher prices. Made from pure wool with a soft fine nap. 58x78, \$6.90 pair 60x80, \$8.05 pair 66x88, \$9.20 pair

Grey Union Blankets, \$3.70 Pair.

Exceptionally strong and serviceable, popular for camp and farm use. They are cotton and wool mixture—grey color. Size 58x78 inches.

Plaid Wool Blankets, \$17.50 Pair

Every thread pure wool. Feel the deep soft nap—what a wealth of winter sleep comfort it promises. Blankets as fine and as handsome as you could wish. Size 72x84 inches.

Best Flannelette Blankets

Closely woven and well napped, best standard qualities. White or grey with pink or blue borders. 54x72, \$2.25 Pair 66x76, \$2.45 Pair 72x84, \$2.95 Pair

Snowy White Bedspreads at \$1.98

Here is a veritable value among values—a light weight, fully bleached, neatly hemmed bedspread for home, hotel or hospital. Will launder to perfection. Generous size—64x84 inches. Unequalled anywhere at \$1.98.

English Colored Bedspreads at \$4.95

Being made in England, you can depend on their quality. They are woven from especially strong cotton yarns and are unusually serviceable. No apt to prove so apt to white spreads. Size 68x94 inches.

"Braemar" Scotch Wool Blankets

Made especially for Ramsey's by one of the best mills in the world, superfine blankets woven from the longest finest wool yarns. Bleached and shrunk. Whipped singly. 56x86—\$ 8.75 Pair 72x90—\$15.00 Pair 68x86—\$15.00 Pair 72x90—\$17.50 Pair



NO MORATORIUM NEEDED IN ALTA. SAYS H. W. WOOD

Minutemen For Western Provinces To Take Such Step Says U.F.A. President

Calgary, Sept. 15.—Canadian financiers are no reason why a moratorium should be declared in any of the western provinces now, and would not look upon a moratorium as a measure to the country, declared Sir John Aird, of Toronto, vice-president and general manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, at present visiting in Calgary.

Sir John stated that conditions in Western Canada do not warrant a moratorium, that the banks are willing to help any farmers to the utmost extent of their power in assisting the farmers with their loans, and that a moratorium would retard the most delicate but according to recent reports, the future development of the western provinces.

Alberta is not in need of a farmers' moratorium, is not likely to have one, and accordingly the matter has been discussed neither by the U. F. A., nor the government. H. W. Wood, president of the U. F. A., said it would be a misfortune for any western province to have to take such drastic step.

NAVY CAPTURES

NEW JERSEY

New York, Sept. 15.—The dry navy today captured two alleged run-runners, who were charged with carrying about \$150,000 and a \$40,000 bond, which was to be used to buy a ship, as well as an unnamed ship which was to be used to carry the money.

THRESHING IN NORTH COUNTRY QUITE GENERAL

Yields of Wheat Will Average Between 10 and 15 Bushels Per Acre

Showery weather in the north country during the first part of the week did not retard the most delicate but according to recent reports, the future development of the western provinces.

The yields for the most part are up to expectations. Owing to the dry weather early in the season the crop did not get a very good start, but with the heavy rain in the latter part of the season the heads filled out fairly well. Present indications are that the average yield of wheat will be between 10 and 15 bushels per acre.

In some sections of the country some of the later sown crops are still to be cut. Some reports indicate that the yield of the late sown crops will be between 10 and 15 bushels per acre.

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Don Anand—Weather past week cool. Heavy rains on Sept. 12th and local showers on 13th. Cutting practically finished except green feed. Threshing delayed since Wednesday account rain.

NEW ZEALAND TO HAVE DAIRY MARKETING BOARD. London, Sept. 15.—(Canadian Press Cable)—New Zealand government has decided to establish a dairy marketing board, which will shortly introduce legislation providing for the formation of a board to control the marketing and shipping of dairy products. In accordance with the W.A.S. expressed by dairy producers in New Zealand earlier in the week.

To Holders of Five Year 5 1/2 per cent Canada's Victory Bonds

Issued in 1917 and Maturing 1st December, 1922.

CONVERSION PROPOSALS

THE MINISTER OF FINANCE offers to holders of these bonds who desire to continue their investment in Dominion of Canada securities the privilege of exchanging the maturing bonds for new bonds bearing 5 1/2 per cent interest, payable half yearly, of either of the following classes:

- Five year bonds, dated 1st November, 1922, to mature 1st November, 1927.
- Ten year bonds, dated 1st November, 1922, to mature 1st November, 1932.

While the maturing bonds will carry interest to 1st December, 1922, the new bonds will commence to earn interest from 1st November, 1922, GIVING A BONUS OF A FULL MONTH'S INTEREST TO THOSE AVAILING THEMSELVES OF THE CONVERSION PRIVILEGE.

This offer is made to holders of the maturing bonds and is not open to other investors. The bonds to be issued under this proposal will be substantially of the same character as those which are maturing, except that the exemption from taxation does not apply to the new issue.

Dated at Ottawa, 8th August, 1922.

Holders of the maturing bonds who wish to avail themselves of this conversion privilege should take their bonds AS EARLY AS POSSIBLE, BUT NOT LATER THAN SEPTEMBER 30th, to a Branch of any Chartered Bank in Canada and receive in exchange an official receipt for the bonds surrendered, containing an undertaking to deliver the corresponding bonds of the new issue.

Holders of maturing fully registered bonds, interest payable by cheque from Ottawa, will receive their December 1 interest cheque as usual. Holders of coupon bonds will detach and retain the last unexpired coupon before surrendering the bond to the conversion purposes.

The surrendered bonds will be forwarded by bank to the Minister of Finance at Ottawa, where they will be exchanged for bonds of the new issue, in fully registered or coupon registered or coupon bearer form carrying interest payable 1st May and 1st November of each year of the duration of the loan, the first interest payment accruing and payable 1st May, 1923. Bonds of the new issue will be sent to the banks for delivery immediately after the receipt of the surrendered bonds.

The bonds of the maturing issue which are not converted under this proposal will be paid off in cash on the 1st December, 1922.

W. S. FIELDING,
Minister of Finance.